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In re Patent No. 6,730,795 :  
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This decision is in response to the petition under 37 CFR 1.314 filed April 7, 2004.

Petitioner seeks to defer issuance of the patent in the above-identified application pursuant to 37 CFR 1.314.

The above-identified application matured into U.S. Pat. No. 6,730,795 May 4, 2004. Accordingly, the instant petition is hereby DISMISSED.

Telephone inquiries regarding this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (703) 305-0310.

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